GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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ATM FACILITY AT STATIONS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the required information has since been collected;

(b) If so, the details thereof;

(c) If not, the reasons therefor; and

(d)The time by which the required information is likely to be collected?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. Automated Teller Machines (ATMs) have been installed at various stations of Indian Railways. Zone-wise details are as under: -

Zonal Railway	No. of ATMs installed as on 31-07-2006
Central	8
Eastern	1
East Central	3
East Coast	2
Northern	4
North Central	3
North Eastern	1
Northeast Frontier	- NIL
North Western	NIL
Southern	13
South Central	3
South Eastern	1
South East Central	2
South Western	3
Western	36
West Central	6

Installation of ATMs at various locations over zonal Railways is a continuous process.

The broad terms & conditions for installation of ATMs are as under: -

i) Zonal Railways are authorised to take a decision regarding installation of ATMs at a station subject to availability of bank and demand pattern.

ii) The bank is selected by two packet tender system containing technical and financial bid.

iii) The selected bank has to pay licence fee as per bid and other prescribed charges.

(c) & (d): Do not arise.